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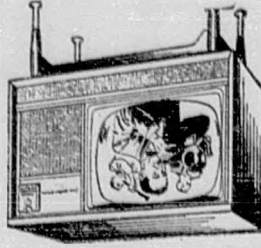
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NOTICE OF SPECIAL DISTRICT SCHOOL TAX ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in School Tax District No. 1, Elba, Alabama, on the 19th day of May, 1959, for the purpose of determining whether or not a special district school tax shall be levied annually for a period of 20 years, beginning October 1, 1964, and collected annually for a period of 20 years, beginning October 1, 1964, at a uniform rate of thirty cents on each one hundred (\$100.00) dollars' worth of taxable property in said district, if authorized, not to operate any present three-mill district school tax levy in said area, but to be in lieu thereof, the proposed tax for public school purposes within said School Tax District, the boundaries of which are described as follows:

This includes all of Coffee County except the incorporated tax districts of Elba (E) and Enterprise (E).

By order of the Court of County Commissioners of Coffee County, Alabama.

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W. B. WISE
Secretary of Board, and
Tax Assessor

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NOTICE

Pursuant to a decree of sale made by the Circuit Court of Coffee County, Alabama, in Equity, in the cause styled M. E. McGinn et al. partners etc., complainants v. C. & S. Lumber Company et al. respondents, the undersigned special register will offer for sale to the highest and best bidder for cash at the Elba Lumber Company sawmill near the levee canal at Elba, Alabama, within the legal hours of sale on Friday, the 29th day of May 1959, the following described personal property mentioned in said decree of sale, to-wit:

One 1951 Chevrolet truck with stake body.
Two GMC trucks and trailers.
Two skidders.
One International crawling tractor.
One los trailer.
One burnt sawmill.
Two GMC motors.
One M & M motor.
One caterpillar motor and pulleys.
One Yates A-4 Planer.
Three sets of heads.
One M & M Tractor.
Three wagons (yellow).
One Frick sawmill complete with new dies.
One Frick edger.

Said sale will be made in strict conformity with the said decree of sale made and entered by said Court.

This the 5th day of May, 1959.

JOE C. CASSADY
Special Register in Equity

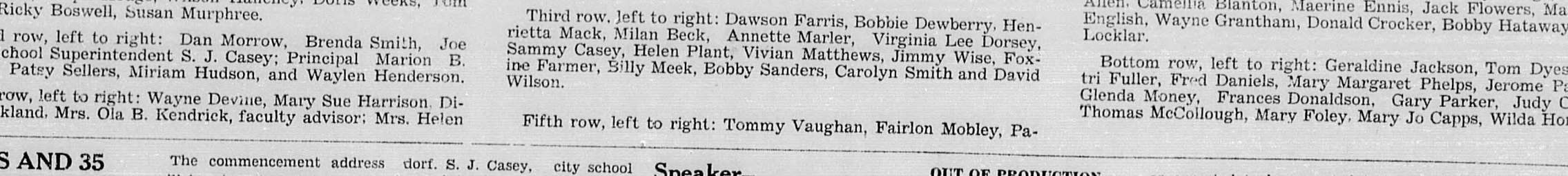
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33 BOYS AND 35 GIRLS WILL GET ELBA DIPLOMAS

Elba High School will graduate 33 boys and 35 girls Friday, May 22, with ceremonies beginning at 8 p.m. in the school auditorium.

Rev. George Gilbert of Dothan will deliver the baccalaureate next Sunday, May 17, in the auditorium.

The commencement address will be given by Minister J. C. Dixon, professor at George Pepperdine College, Los Angeles, Calif. Mr. Dixon is a former principal of Elba High, having served in that capacity more than 20 years.

Thomas McCollough, senior class president, will extend the welcome to the graduation exercises. Music for the procession and recessional will be played by Mrs. Mary F. Ring-

dorf. S. J. Casey, city school superintendent, will make announcements and introduce the visiting speaker.

Diplomas will be presented by Marion Brunson, Elba High principal.

While in Elba, Prof. Dixon served as minister of the Church of Christ, and as president of the Chamber of Commerce, while carrying the duties of high school principal.

Speaker—

Minister J. C. Dixon, professor at George Pepperdine College, Los Angeles, Calif. and former principal of Elba High will deliver the principal address Friday, May 22, at Elba High commencement.

Also attending the exercises are: Rev. R. V. an, Elba Furniture Co.; Rudolph Chancelor, Smitty's TV; Dan Morrow, Dorsey Trailers; Jerome Taylor, Piggy Wigly; Fry Lawford, Piggy Wigly; J. E. Davidson, Glen Department Store; Dorsey Trailers, the purchase of the course is to give students training on a part-time basis in their chosen occupation while still enrolled in high school. They go to school part of each day and work in a local business the rest of the day.

The above members of the Diversified Occupations class at Elba High, with their places of employment, first row, left to right: Dorsey Trailers, Mary Foley, Dr. W. M. Ringdorph; Brenda Smith, Elba Water and Electric; Tractor Co.; Patricia Kelley, Daniel Accounting Agency; Mary Hodge, Beauty Nook; Annette Marler, Dr. E. M. Warr; back row, left to right: Instructor Taylor, Wayne Parria, Trammell Auto Repair; Bobby Dewberry, Dorsey Trailers; Joseph

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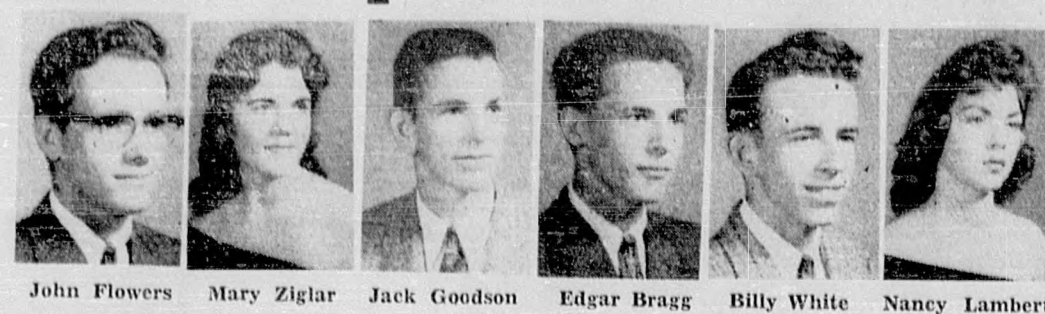
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Graduation ceremonies at Zion Chapel High School will come to a close Thursday, May 21, at 8 p.m. when 11 Seniors will receive diplomas.

Ceremonies will begin Sunday, May 17, at 8 p.m. with the Baccalaureate in the school auditorium. Class night will be Tuesday, May 19, and final graduation Thursday, May 21, with Rev. Thomas Wilkes, pastor of Hebron Baptist Church, delivering the commencement address.

of Graceville, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Kimmy and Master Jim Kimmy spent the weekend at Sunnyside Fla., with Mr. and Mrs. "Burt" Dickert.

Cadet Johnny Miller of Biloxi, Miss., visited Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Miller over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vincent spent the weekend in Montgomery with Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Vinson.

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Mr. and Mrs. U. L. Cannon of Opp spent Thursday here with Miss Courtney Cannon.

Dr. W. M. Ringdorf was a patient at the Enterprise hospital last week.

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New Brockton High To Graduate 28 Seniors

FINAL PROGRAM FOR SCHOOL SET FRIDAY, MAY 22

A week of graduation activities for 28 New Brockton Seniors will begin with the Inauguration ceremony Sunday, May 17, at 11 a.m. with Rev. C. M. Metrick delivering the sermon in the high school auditorium. Olen D. Robertson is principal.

Class Night will be Thursday, May 21, at 7:30 p.m. in the high school gymnasium with a program featuring Martha Walls as Salutatorian and Annette Lambert as Valedictorian. Linda Bloodworth, historian; Janice Parker, stunner; Virginia Parrish, glee leader; Martha Wilson, prophet; Sheri Windham, poet; Last Will and Testament by Hulene Stevens. Elementary and Junior students will receive their certificates, diplomas and perfect attendance cards Friday, May 22, at 8 a.m. in the high school gymnasium.

The final program of the week will be graduation Friday, May 22, at 8 p.m. in the high school gymnasium when diplomas will be presented after the commencement address by John W. Stair, dean of students, Troy State Teachers College.

Graduates will be: Linda Bloodworth, Nancy Miller, Glennie Byrd, Deween McKenzie, Betty Carroll, James Moore, Jimmy Gannon, Janice Parker, Tommie Griswold, Virginia Parrish, Tommy Gunter, Joan Peters, Barbara Holmes, Bobbie Smith, Janice Kelley, Hulene Stevens, Annette Lambert, Ida Thudel, Terry Lewis, Martha Walls, Preston Lott, Elizabeth Wilson, Mary Ellen Madox, Martha Wilson, Callie Sue McIntosh, Sheri Windham, Raymond McElendon, and Dick Wisht.

Sincerely it is to speak as we think to do as we pretend and profess, to perform what we promise, and really to be what we would seem and appear to be. —John Tilton

Valedictorian—



Annette Lambert, above, has been selected as Valedictorian of the graduating class of the New Brockton High School.

Salutatorian—



New Brock Salutatorian Tag Martha Walls, above, has been selected as Salutatorian of the graduating class of New Brockton High School.

Pictures of the entire graduating class were not available for publication this issue. Those that dare lose a day are dangerously prodigal; those that dare miss it, it is desperate. —Joseph Hall

ABOARD USS RANGER

Ralph Wilks, ship's serviceman second class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Wilks of Elba, is serving aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Ranger in the Western Pacific. The Ranger is currently operating with the US Seventh Fleet off Japan and Formosa.

ELBIAN IN ITALY

Army Sgt. First Class James H. Brown, recently participated with the 99th Artillery in Exercise Green Swing, a joint NATO field training maneuver conducted in northern Italy. The 26-year-old soldier is a 1954 graduate of Elba High School. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Brown, live at Elba.

FINISHES TERM

Army Pvt. James E. Bryant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Zee Bryant, of Rt. 5, Elba, completed the final phase of six months active military training April 11, and after the Reserve Forces Act program at Fort Bliss, Tex.

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Through the Keyhole

BY MRS. ROBERT CANNON

"IT IS NO LONGER a day for May Baskets," said General Ernest Eastbrook in his welcome address to a gathering of two hundred and fifty on Friday evening. The occasion was Law Day which has been a National observance since 1958 when President Eisenhower designated the first of May as a day for reflection on and observation of our precious civil liberties. May first was chosen because this is the day of Communist parades and demonstrations all over Europe and Law Day seemed an appropriate answer.

The General proved himself an amiable host as he welcomed everyone to the Officer's Club. We found him quite charming and endowed with a natural dignity so becoming to one in high command.

Col. Raymond Cowart introduced the distinguished guests one of whom was Kenneth Paulsen and the gathering loved his dry wit. Keynote speaker was Senator John Sparkman whose topic was "Liberty Through Law."

The buffet table was laden with delicious foods all expertly prepared and to our mind, the decorations were most appropriate to a loyal gathering. The long banquet table, linen covered, was centered with immense brass candelabras, each side weighed down with large arrangements of purple lilies interspersed with lavender and pink blossoms. Tall brass candelabras flanking this centerpiece held a single candle. The individual tables held candles in cylindrical chimneys surrounded by greenery.

It was fun mingling with local friends and seeing old school acquaintances. We asked Glenn Clark and John Garrett to join us at our table; chatted with Carolyn and Bill Stokes, Genette and J. Doug Runkle as they served their plates; saw Garth Lindsey carrying on an enthusiastic conversation with friends; Becky and Kenneth Puller drove over with us and we complemented them on their adorable little son Mark.

Was quite pleased to see Mrs. Shelly of Dothan who introduced us to her distinguished husband and asked about everyone here. From Enterprise there was Vivacious Julia Grissold, who introduced us to her attractive sister and brother-in-law. As we were entering the club so were the Bracks.

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Health officers are concerned about the extravagant claims some door-to-door salesmen are making about the cod supplements they try to sell. They sometimes promise that certain diseases can be cured by their products.

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Rowes and the Joe Pittmans. Old school acquaintances included Bill Hoss of Dothan; Pat Adams and Joe Adams, cousins from Oark; and the former Florence Carroll, now living in Oark with her attorney husband.

The evening was concluded with dancing. Music was furnished by an exceptionally good orchestra which performed from a fluenced orchestra shell over which hung the large winged shield of the Army Aviator. We look forward to next May 1st and compliment the office of the Staff Judge Advocate on the past one.

THE BANQUET held last Friday at the school sounded exceptionally nice and we believe the Junior Class and its sponsors, Miss Zedie Rowe and Katherine Spurlin, are due a round of applause.

We know from experience the hours of work that went into the affair and the sense

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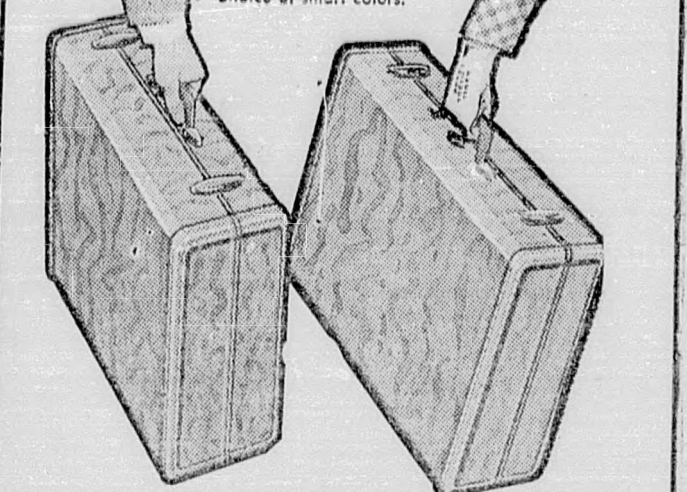
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33 Seniors To Get Diplomas At Kinston

Valedictorian—



Miss Janet Pierce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pierce, is Valedictorian of the Senior Class, Kinston High. She is editor of the Annual, secretary of the Beta Club, and has been elected for "Who's Who" in Kinston High this year. Her grade average is 94.9.

Salutatorian—



Miss Nancy Johns, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Johns, is Salutatorian of the Senior class, Kinston High. She is president of the Thespian Troupe, member of the Beta Club and Glee Club, and was also winner of the Betty Crocker award. Her grade average is 92. Pictures of the entire graduating class were not available.

JUDGE WALLACE TO BE HEARD AT CEREMONIES

Judge George C. Wallace will deliver the commencement address when 33 Seniors of Kinston High school graduate Friday, May 22. This will be Kinston's thirty-second commencement. E. C. Nevin is principal.

The week-long exercises will start Friday, May 15, at 8 p.m. when Mr. Martin, piano instructor and choir director, will present his pupils in recital. The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered Sunday, May 17, at 8 p.m. in the high school auditorium by Rev. W. T. Brown, pastor of St. Luke's Methodist church, Enterprise. Senior Class Day exercises will be Friday morning, May 22, with graduation that evening.

Valedictorian is Miss Janet Pierce and salutatorian is Miss Nancy Johns. The 33 candidates for graduation are: Judy Barnes Jacobs, Annie Faye Burditt, Janice Edwards, Nellie Free, Neida Johns, Mae E. Nelson, Willie Dean McCollough, Lou Ellen Phillips, Janet Pierce, Wynette Rhodes, Tabbie Smith, Lydia Thomas, Hazel Weeks, Sue Wynne, Donald Barnes, Allen Blackstock, Charlie Boland, Jack Collier, Glenda Dean, Charles Donaldson, Arvel Gooden, Jimmy Harrison, Billy Kelley, Jerry Kendrick, Terry Kimbro, Charles King, Matt Matthews, Wynnton Melton, Cecil Patterson, Hubert Winward, and Alvin Wood.

Get the Clipper Reading Habit

Mr. Bill Martin was a patient last week at the Enterprise hospital.

Those who visited Mr. and Mrs. D. Chancellor Sunday were Mrs. Annie Mae Norris of Troy, Mr. and Mrs. Clemie Chancellor of Troy.

Mrs. Willie B. Sheffield, Mrs. Emory Chancellor visited Mrs. Ray Hurd Saturday.

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4-H MEMBERS ARE CAUTIONED ON SAFETY

By Tom Cassidy

Robert Producers of the Kinston Club wrote the best essay on "Safety In The Home and On The Farm." In the Junior Division, Curtis Donaldson, of the Curtis Club wrote a good essay on the same subject. Both boys were awarded loving cups at the 4-H Club Rally. By having written these essays, I am sure Robert and Curtis will be much more safety conscious this summer.

Coffee 4-H boys and girls will be spending most of their time in the home and on the farm during the summer. A lot of accidents happen each year around the home with farm tractors and equipment. Let's concentrate on being safety conscious this summer. Most accidents can be prevented. It's up to you to do something about it.

Tractor Program— Boys if you are interested in tractors and driving and in safety, you will want to attend the 4-H tractor program and driving contest to be held Saturday morning, May 30, at the Redmon - Windham Tractor Company in Elba.

We plan to start the Tractor Program at 8:30 on the evening of June 1. The winner in the Tractor Driving Contest will represent Coffee County at the district 4-H Elimination in Troy June 14 and 15. Make your plans to attend if you possibly can.

Feeder Pig Sale— Time is running out for consigning pigs to the special Feeder Pig Sale to be held Monday afternoon, June 1, at the Oak Ridge yard. About 30 counties are participating in the sale. 4-H members who have pigs to sell should be interested in consigning a few pigs to this special sale. Pigs must be fresh off the farm and they must be healthy. Feeder pigs between 30 and 100 pounds will be accepted. If you have pigs that will be ready to move by June 1, you might profit by selling at this sale. Send us a card if you are interested. The sale starts at 1:00 p.m.

Speaking Contest— The Annual 4-H Club Essay and Speaking Contest will be held at the Elba Court House Friday morning, May 29. Five boys and five girls will speak on "Farmer Cooperatives." Prizes will be awarded to the top three winners in each division. We invite the people in Elba and the county that are interested in seeing the boys and girls speak, to attend this program, which will start at 10:00.

Twins Born To Elba Soldier In Hawaii

Twin baby girls, weighing four pounds and twelve ounces and four pounds, eleven and one-half ounces, were born on April 28, 1959, to Mrs. Wilma H. Whitley, wife of Sgt. Bartlett M. Whitley, USMC, at Tripler U. S. Army Hospital, Honolulu, Hawaii.

Sgt. Whitley, who is stationed at Kaneohe Marine Corps Air Station is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert S. Whitley of Elba.

The babies, named Patricia Lynne and Pamela Louise, are the second and third for the Whitleys, who are residing at 41-282-C Ahulimano Road, Kaneohe, Oahu, Hawaii.

Plans to secure more residential housing in Elba and to secure a more direct route to Fort Rucker were pushed at a dinner meeting of the reorganized Elba Chamber of Commerce Tuesday evening.

President E. M. Warr appointed Dozier Roberts chairman of the Housing Committee and Floury Whitman was appointed chairman of a committee to determine the steps to be taken to secure a more direct travel route to Fort Rucker.

The need for new housing was emphasized with the expansion of Dorsey Trailers now under way, and the expansion of Fort Rucker announced for this fall.

L. B. Murphree, chairman of the Membership committee, reported 38 paid memberships to date of whom 22 members were present at the dinner meeting. Other members of the Membership committee are: T. K. Dorsey, Walter Smith and Lister Brunson. The immediate goal is 50 members, Mr. Murphree said.

Other committees were announced as: Arrangements, Duke H. "Joeb" Tatum, Jr.; Public Information, Robert Mason, Thorne Lane and Curtis Duke; Government, Drexel Cook, Fort Rucker liaison; L. F. Innant, Welcoming committee; James Wise, Lamar Rainer, Jr.; L. B. Murphree and Dozier Roberts; Merchants committee, K. D. Thompson, B. T. Stanford, Roy English, James Devane, Harold Deal, Bonneau Rowe and Willard Martin; Clean-Up, Fix-Up, Paint-Up committee, Mayor H. E. Taylor, Leta Hain, Clio Hawkins, Mrs. Bonnie Thomas and Collis Parrish; Industrial committee, T. K. Dorsey, chairman, members of the Housing committee with Dozier Roberts are Floury Whitman, Dud English, Oscar Vaughan Jr., and James Whitman; Projects and Promotions, Walter Smith, chairman, Dozier Roberts, Thorne Lane, H. E. Taylor and L. B. Murphree; Resolutions, Lamar Rainer Jr.

Mrs. R. G. Hutchison Of Red Cross Dies

Mrs. Oussie Hutchison, 72, long-time executive secretary of the West Coffee County Chapter, American Red Cross, died Sunday, May 17, at 10:30 a.m. in Mizzell hospital, Opp, after an illness diagnosed as cancer only two months ago.

Mrs. Hutchison went to Mizzell hospital two months ago when cancer was discovered and she went to a hospital in Atlanta, Ga., for treatment of several weeks. She returned home for a few days then went back to Mizzell hospital.

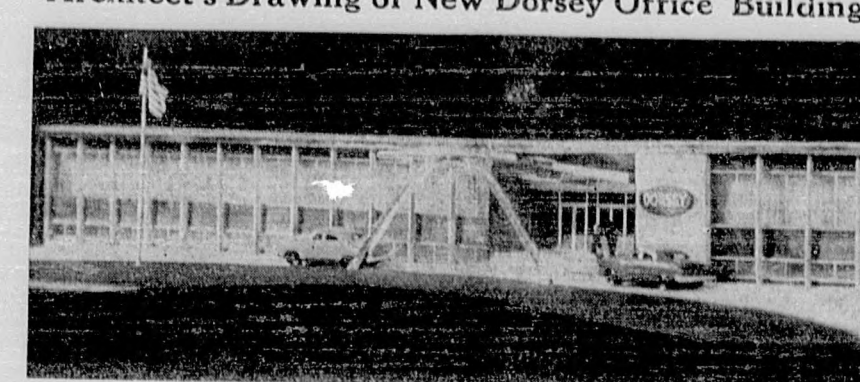
Mrs. Hutchison was the widow of Robert Guy Hutchison, who died 29 years ago. She is survived by one sister, Mrs. S. P. Hawkins of Tampa, Fla., two nieces, Mrs. Edmond Dandoroff of Cedar Grove, N. J., Mrs. Marjorie O. of Birmingham, one nephew, Bernard Windham of Atlanta.

Funeral services were held Monday at 10 a.m. from the First Baptist Church of which she was a member. The Rev. Murray L. Seay, pastor, and the Rev. R. P. Hendricks, pastor of the Elba Methodist church, officiated. Burial was in Evergreen with Hayes Funeral Home in charge.

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The reason has its reasons, which reason does not know. —Blaise Pascal

Architect's Drawing of New Dorsey Office Building—



Equipment is being assembled on the vacant lot across the street from Dorsey Trailers to start excavation for the new Dorsey Office Building which will be rushed to completion with an anticipated 50 per cent increase in sales of Dorsey Trailers in '59 over last year. The architects sketch above gives some idea of the modern design of the handsome new structure which will house the executive offices, sales department, accounting department, engineering department, purchasing department, and sales personnel.

ONE-INCH RAIN BRINGS SMILES IN THIS AREA

The "Million-Dollar - Rain" arrived Tuesday. A total of little more than one inch of rain fell throughout Tuesday and Tuesday night to bring relief to farmers in the Elba area which were beginning to feel the effects of prolonged lack of precipitation. The weather remained dry to enable farmers to get their crops planted without hindrance, but as days passed without rain, except for a slight precipitation Mother's Day, an anxiety had begun to develop. Fields took on a different hue Wednesday after the rain which measured almost an inch, according to J. Dryden Smith, who keeps weather records as a hobby. There were smiles on the faces of farmers and businessmen alike as they described it as "the million-dollar rain."

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The Elba Train of Progress is moving. Some of those who will be free riders. Tickets to ride any train cost money. A Chamber of Commerce membership ticket costs fifteen dollars; a Chamber of Commerce membership ticket costs ten dollars. There's more satisfaction in riding with a paid ticket.

EASY PAY TIRE WILL BE OPEN ANOTHER WEEK

The end of next week will see the end of Easy Pay Tire Store in Elba under management of L. E. English with his friendly "hello here."

Mr. English and his family will remove to Greenville, S.C., where he has already made arrangements to operate a tire and recapping shop. All merchandise not sold by next week-end will be removed to his new location.

The building now occupied by Easy Pay Tire Store will be taken over by Murphree Furniture Co. for use as a warehouse.

Ford Agency Here Ownership Changes

The Ford agency in Elba is in process of transfer from the Elba Motor Co. to Gendry Motors, Inc.

The present owners of Elba Motor Co., are J. C. Redmon, W. E. Windham and J. S. Moore. The purchaser is Dr. L. M. McGeehan of Dothan and R. A. McLennan, who has been in the automobile business in Dothan for several years, will be manager.

OLA CULVERHOUSE

Mrs. Ola Culverhouse, 63, of Arton, Rt. 1, died at her home Sunday, May 17, after a long illness. She is survived by her husband, David Culverhouse; her mother, Mrs. R. L. Beasley of Rt. 1, Arton; four sisters, Mrs. Ethel Hinton of Rt. 1, Arton; Mrs. Tula Seay of Dothan; Mrs. Manie Wilson of Arton; Mrs. Myrtle Crumpler of Troy; two brothers, Bobson Beasley of Oak and Frank Beasley of Arton.

Funeral services were held Tuesday from Arton Baptist Church with the Rev. Floyd Porter officiating. Burial was in the Universalist cemetery.

All Aboard!
(An Editorial)

The Elba Train of Progress is moving! Old landmarks are passing, new scenery hoves into view!

A handsome new office building at Dorsey Trailers, a new Piggly Wiggly super market downtown, new units of bls signs of progress are most apparent.

But there are others not so apparent, but nonetheless real. Plans are under way to provide badly needed new housing in Elba. New families are coming to Fort Rucker at Dorsey's, 13 new employees were hired and the next week 17 new employees. A savings and loan association is being organized.

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Minister Dixon To Be Heard Sunday

J. C. Dixon, former principal of Elba High School and former minister of the Church of Christ in Elba, will be honored with a reception in the high school cafeteria Friday immediately following exercises, and he will fill the pulpit of his former church here Sunday, May 24, at 11 a.m.

Minister Dixon, member of the faculty of George Pepperdine college, served many years as minister in Elba and preached extensively in other areas of South Alabama including Opp and Greenville.

His sermon Sunday will be broadcast over radio station WELB (1350K) from 11:15 a. m. until 12.

Kinston Teachers Get Scholarships

Mrs. Myra Johns, librarian at Kinston High School, has recently been selected by the Guidance Staff of the University of Alabama to receive a grant as a participant in the Guidance Seminar to be held this summer at the University. This award is sponsored by the U. S. Office of Education.

Two other Kinston teachers, James Helms and Larry Price, will receive National Science Foundation stipends in mathematics and science during the summer.

ELBA MINISTER

Rev. Macon C. Miller, son of Rev. C. O. Miller of Elba, will be guest speaker on the Baptist Messure Hour over Channel 9, Dothan, tomorrow, Friday, at 4:30 p.m.

29 4-H AND FFA BOYS AND GIRLS IN CALF SHOW

Twenty-nine 4-H and FFA boys and girls from every part of Coffee county participated in the Coffee County Fair Stock Show at Enterprise, Monday, May 11.

Paul Wise, the only FFA member placing in any contest, exhibited the Grand Champion at the show and Margaret Bryan came up with the Reserve Champion.

In addition to having the Grand Champion, Wise took second prize in the heavy weight division, first prize, including a loving cup, for the best calf of the show which was dropped on a farm in Coffee county and second place in the Senior Showmanship contest. Wise won a total of \$44 in cash prizes.

Miss Bryan, in addition to having the Reserve Champion, placed first in the medium weight division. She won a total of \$25 in cash prizes.

New Brockton FHA Confers 7 Degrees

The New Brockton Chapter of Future Homemakers of America held its monthly meeting May 12, with the subject: "Growing As We Go."

Judy Ann Dunaway gave the devotional.

The conferring of the degrees of achievement was directed by Jennie Trawick. Junior Homemaker degree was conferred on the following seven members: Elizabeth Gaynor, Amelia Herring, Clyde Kelley, Shirley Lott, Charlotte Moore, Wadonia Pittman, and Sue Watson.

Eighteen members were awarded the Chapter Homemaker degree. They were: Patsy Bass, Julia Ann Dunaway, Patricia Hayes, Vernelle Hines, Roslyn Hollis, Linda Hines, Bobbie Kelley, Rosetta Lindsey, Pat Lockhart, Patricia Nicholson, Pam O'Neal, Tommie Parker, Linda Ramsey, Judy Sawyer, Ann Shackelford, Laddie Smith, June Tate, and Martha Wilkes.

Soldier Of Jack Finishes Training

Pvt. Oscar R. Modin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Modin, of Rt. 1, Jacksonville, completed 14 weeks of medical training May 10, at Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, marking the end of his six months of active military duty under the Reserve Forces Act Program.

He is scheduled to spend the remainder of his military service on the staff of the 37th Station Hospital in Columbus, Ga.

There will be 2,800 students to leave classes until next fall in county schools outside Elba and Enterprise while summer vacation begins for 1,500 students in Elba.

Eighty-five high school seniors will receive diplomas at New Brockton, Kinston, Zion, Chapel and New Brockton. Chapel and New Brockton will graduate from Elba High School.

The continuance of the present 4-mile school tax levied by districts was assured in the special election held Tuesday, this week, as an overwhelming favorable majority was reported. Complete returns had not been received from the entire county when The Elba Clipper went to press, but in Elba the vote was 100 yes and only 10 no. The Elba City Hall box was 39 to 3. New Town 14 to 1, the two Court House boxes 16 to 1, and Morrow's Store 24 to 4.